

What's Happening

FIA Friendship Club *** Hardin County Community Services

APRIL 2015

MARK THE DATE!

*4/22/15 FIA Advisory Board Mtg.,
8:30am, Friendship Club, Ia Falls

*4/22/15 County MHDS Advisory
Board Mtg., 2:00, County Office
Bldg, Eldora.

*4/22/15 8:30am-3:30pm
ADVOCATING FOR CHANGE DAY
Iowa State Capital & Wallace Bldg,
1007 E Grand Ave

Des Moines IA 50319 (See below)

*4/23/15 County MHIT Mtg., 8:00,
Friendship Club, Ia Falls.



A special thanks from the
Friendship Club for donations from
the following:

- *Church Women United
- *Bethany Lutheran Elderberries
- *Iowa Falls Community Chest
- *Steph Hamilton
- *Theresa Phillips
- *Stella Caselton
- *Barb Carlson

An Easter Blessing

*Bless this day the joy of life,
The revelation of the flesh,
The paradise of man and wife
Joined to share the gift of bliss.*

*Bless this day the pain of life,
The passion that redeems the flesh,
The love between a man and wife
Beyond all agony and bliss.*

*Bless this day the end of life,
The peace within the dying flesh,
The bond between a man and wife
That long outlasts their bit of bliss.*

*Bless this day the whole of life,
The grace of being more than flesh,
The voyage of a man and wife
Across the mystery of bliss.*

The Iowa Developmental Disabilities Council, ID Action & Polk County Health Services invite you to participate in **Advocating for Change Day** on Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Advocating for Change Day is a day specifically for Iowans affected by disability to become skilled at communicating with their legislators & other elected state officials. There is NO cost to participate!

As a participant you will have the opportunity to learn how to develop and deliver an effective message, visit with available legislators and other elected officials and lobbyists, and watch the legislative process from the galleries (when the Senate and/or House are in session).

Register to attend by April 6th to guarantee your free lunch. If you have any questions about Advocating for Change Day, please contact ID Action at contactus@idaction.org or 866-432-2846.



We sadly said "So long and thank you **SO** much" to Sandy Rizzo, who has been doing crafts with the Friendship Club for 14 years! It was fun hearing about the different craft projects she has conjured up over the years. She will truly be missed! We are looking forward to her stopping in to say "Hi"!

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Mon, Wed, & Fri 10:30a-3:30p

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
 Birthdays	<i>Activities at 1:00 unless noted</i> ----- <i>Office Hours 8:30 – 10:30 Club Hours 10:30 – 3:30</i>		1 11:00 Morning Moments Friendship Lunch: Pork Loin Helpers: Thresa and Pete <i>Behavioral Health</i>	2	3 Closed for Good Friday!! <i>Happy Easter!!</i>  Diane Hayden	4  Jarad Palmateer
5 Easter   David Asmus	6 11:00 CWU SERVICE Sack Lunch COOKING WITH KATHLEEN	7	8 <i>Eldora Outing</i> 10:30 Leave for Eldora 11:00 Meet at Pizza Ranch for lunch 1:00 Visit Care Center	9 	10 11:00 Morning Moments Sack Lunch SHOW & TELL	11 
12 	13 11:00 CWU SERVICE Sack Lunch <i>Group Lunch Shopping</i> World Travels with Mary Rosendahl!!	14 	15 11:00 Morning Moments GROUP Friendship Lunch: Escalloped potatoes and ham Helpers: Sharon, Linda and Kayla <i>Birthday lunch day!!</i> <i>Readings with Virginia</i>	16  Kayla Garner	17 11:00 Morning Moments Sack Lunch BOWLING	18
19 	20 11:00 CWU SERVICE Sack Lunch <i>Calendar Planning & BINGO</i>	21  Kathleen Reysack	22 11:00 Morning Moments Friendship Lunch: Chili dogs and chips Helpers: Shirley and Tim Participant Meeting & Participant Choice	23	24 11:00 Morning Moments Sack Lunch Newsletter Mailings	25 
26	27 11:00 CWU SERVICE Sack Lunch GREENBELT HOMECARE SHARING	28  Lasrrisa Tintjer	29 11:00 Morning Moments Friendship Lunch: Chicken Noodle Casserole Helpers: Roger and Wanda CRAFTS With MARY	30 	 fiafc@hardincountyia.gov 641-648-7500	

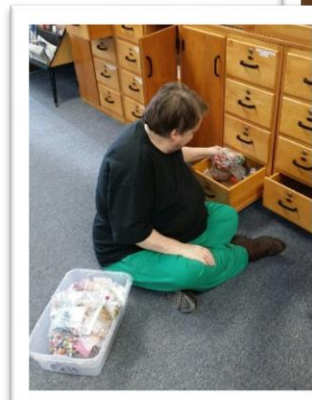


Kayla brought one of the cutest "show and tell" exhibits ever. We all enjoyed Pepper!



Kathleen showed us an easy way to make yummy cookies, these were Red Velvet Chocolate cookies!

Crafts were sorted by hard workers!



Happy St. Patrick's Day!!!



Easter and St. Patrick's Day crafts were made by the participants, and creative talents were discovered. We decided we all were Irish, no matter where our ancestors actually came from. It was our last "Crafts with Sandy" day.